



Merley First School

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Staffing update January 2023

Dear Parent/Carers

From 7th of February, we will be welcoming Miss Leftwich back from maternity leave as our SENCo, her working days will be Tuesdays and Wednesdays. She will have some time with Mrs Waldron to catch up with the events of the past year and then will be supporting families, staff and children across Merley.

Mrs Debbie Barnett has been absent from school since late in the Autumn term due to illness and is recovering well. I know you will join us in wishing her well and we look forward to seeing her back in school soon. Mrs Emery, our lunchtime supervisor, is currently supporting Hedgehog's class in Mrs Barnett's absence.

This term Mrs Brand has turned off her alarm clock and is having a well deserved break from running Early Birds Club. Mrs Crocker, our lunchtime supervisor is now working each morning running Early Birds with Mrs Fortnum.

From Monday Mrs Fitzgerald is moving to Year 1 Sparrows Class to support the children and Miss O'Sullivan from Year 1 will be supporting Year 4 Badger's class.

If you have any questions about the above information please do not hesitate to contact me,

Kind regards

Katharine Anstey
Headteacher